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Mrs. King was a visitor to Calgary last week.

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Mr. W. E. Brown made a trip to the city last week.

Mr. Sandhill visited Calgary last week.

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Mrs. Martin and son were Calgary visitors last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Miss Harvey visited Calgary last week.

Mrs. Wood and Miss Hinch, left were in the city a few days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Tibbetts were visitors to Calgary last week.

W. Russell left on Sunday for Calgary to join the Forester Battalion.

Mrs. W. L. Knight entertained a number of guests at a bridge party on Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. Clark, principal of the Strathmore High School was a visitor to Calgary last week.

Miss Wilson and Miss Bell, of Strathmore school staff were visitors to Calgary last week.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Anderson, of Langdon, spent the week-end in town.

Mr. and Mrs. Fisher have moved into the Thompson property on 3rd Street.

A meeting of the Anglican Church Guild was held at Mrs. Hinchliff's on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lodmell are now residing in property on 2nd Ave. lately rented by Mr. and Mrs. G. J. Smith.

The district is busy getting their farm machinery in working order in preparation to seeding time.

Harry Way left on Thursday, March 1st for Grande Prairie in the Peace River Country, where he has taken up a homestead.

A. W. Miller, our local druggist, is giving away a goldfish and aquarium with every purchase amounting to \$1.00 or over. Needless to say, the offer proves very attractive.

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LOST—In Strathmore, February 19th, \$10 bill. Finder please leave same at Standard office and receive reward.

Ladies night at the Hub on Thursday.

Get your ticket for the dollar raffle now. Proceeds for the Patriotic Fund.

The next Meeting of the Forum will be on Wednesday, Mar. 13th, when Mr. Ottewill will give a lecture.

The Methodist Ladies' Aid are giving a play entitled "The Minister's Bride" in the Opera House this (Wednesday) evening.

Mrs. Fred Benz and son returned from their three month visit from Minneapolis, Minn., arrived on Sunday, March 4th.

A Masquerade Ball in aid of the Belgian Relief Fund, will be given in the Opera House on Friday, March 16th.

Attend the St. Patrick's Tea at Mrs. W. L. Knight's on Saturday March 17th. Tea will be served from 3 o'clock to 8 o'clock, free will offering.

There will be a Dance and Box Social at Carlsland given by the U. F. A. Local on Thursday, March 15th. Good music will be in attendance. Proceeds will be turned over to the Belgian Relief Fund. The dance will be held in the C.P.R. Station. 23-1

Anglican Church Services for Sunday next are as follows: 8.30 Holy Communion, Strathmore; 11.00 a.m. Cairnhill; 3.00 p.m. Namaka; 7.30. There will be special Lenten service on Friday at 8 o'clock, and it is hoped that as many as possible will attend.

SUCCESS

He has achieved success who has lived well, laughed often and loved much; who has gained the trust of pure women and the love of little children; who has filled his niche and accomplished his task; who has left the world better than he found it, whether by an improved poppy, a perfect poem or a rescued soul; who has never lacked appreciation of earth's beauties or failed to express it; who has always looked for the best in others and given the best he had; whose life was an inspiration, whose memory a benediction.

—B. A. Stanley.

Principal Alberta Fairs

The following are the dates set for the principal Alberta Fairs: Calgary, June 28th—July 5th. Red Deer, July 5th—7th. Edmonton, July 9th—13th. Medicine Hat, July 10th.

Women's Institute

The third annual Convention of the Alberta Women's Institute will be held in the Palliser Hotel, Calgary, on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, March 14th, 15th and 16th. Let Strathmore have a good delegation, as it promises to be a good convention. Each delegate or visitor from Strathmore and vicinity is requested to purchase one first-class full fare one way ticket and secure from station agent at starting point a standard certificate. These certificates will be collected at the convention by the secretary and tickets for return trip will be issued in exchange.

Lieut. Reilly at Cheadle

Lieut. Reilly, who saw service with a Calgary Battalion and who has been invalided home, lectured at Cheadle on Thursday. Mr. Reilly made an earnest appeal for the Patriotic Fund and as a result some \$360 were subscribed at the meeting. During the meeting songs were sung by Mr. G. H. Patrick.

Red Cross Notes

The Red Cross Committee of the Women's Institute acknowledge with thanks the following contributions:—Blanche Giffen, \$10.00; I.O.O.F. Lodge, No. 79, per C. Christianson, \$10.00.

Also finished work from the following—Bandages, Mrs. Horrocks, Mrs. Dawson, Mrs. Ashley; socks, Mrs. Staiger; dressing gowns, Mrs. Ellen Way; Triangular bandages, Mrs. Lones; bandages, Crowfoot Club.

From sale of stamps—Walter Mercer, \$1.50; Percy Way, .60.

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FISH

Fried White Fish Sauce Tartar

BOILED

Ox Tongue Czarina Sauce

ENTREES

Scalloped oysters au Gratin

Sweetbread Rissole a la Villor

ROASTS

Braised Fillet of Veal, Mushroom Sauce

Stuffed Young Turkey, Apple Dressing Cranberry Sauce

SALAD

Crab and Mayonnaise

VEGETABLES

Steamed and Mashed Potatoes

Green Peas

DESSERT

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Strawberry Ice Cream and Dream Cakes

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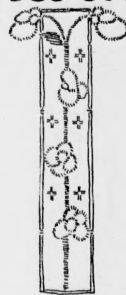
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Embroidery the Password to Blouse Smartness



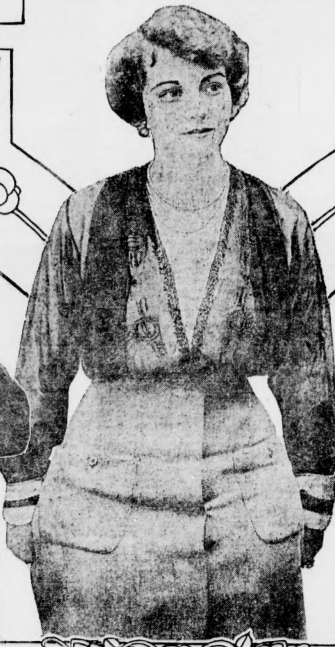
Colored Beads Form
Decorative Bands



Jet Beads Decorate a Mourning Blouse



Eyelets and the
Cross-stitch
Used Effectively



Back Trimming
is Modish



ONE of the salient features of the latest offering of blouses is the touch of handwork which lends character to every model. It would seem that the purpose of the blouse is no barrier; the colorful touch is added no matter whether the garment is to be worn with a sports suit or with a dressy suit. The collection of blouses shown on the page is indicative of the various ways in which the form of trimming may be used.

The blouse of brown chiffon is heavily decorated with embroidery in the form of yellow and black stitchery. The practical note of the blouse is a vest of white Georgette crepe, which decreases in size as it nears the neck line until the material forms only a piping. At any rate, there is sufficient white near the face to relieve the unbecoming effect which a dark color always has on one's complexion.

A pleasing variation of the peplum blouse is seen in the pale yellow model. The size of the peplum is particularly suitable for the

woman who likes to accept new fashions in moderation. A satisfactory use of tucks has been made in the bottom and top of the blouse. The hand touch of the blouse distinction are bands of blue and yellow beads, which trim the cuffs and encircle the blouse. The soft frill of chiffon adds a distinctly feminine finish to the blouse.

Scoutache braid in white and colors is increasing in popularity, and an evidence of its beauty is visible on the blouse of pink chiffon, self-colored braid being used to delineate an embroidery pattern.

Embroidery is also used to give an exclusive touch to a mourning blouse. Dull jet beads in two sizes appear on the blouse made with a white vest of unusual cut.

The simple cross stitch has proved itself a great favorite, and is employed effectively in connection with eyelets to give personality to a blue chiffon blouse with particularly good lines.



